Biography for KEN ROBBINS



Ken Robbins is the President of

the National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development, headquartered in Phoenix, Arizona.

Ken's leadership encourages new approaches and strategies that help to increase the viability of Indian businesses in the U.S. economy. His corporate management skills have allowed him to focus on managing field offices and special projects for the National Center.

His private-sector experience includes positions as President of Native American Health Consultants. Ken has also served as Director of Marketing for the Hospital Corporation of America, Lake Tahoe Cruises and Americana Inns. Ken was the Director of Recreation for the South Lake Tahoe Visitors Bureau and a member of a million-dollar sales club.

Mr. Robbins currently serves as the President of the National Center for American Indian Enterprise Developments' Board of Directors and a member of the National Advisory Board for Haskell Indian Nations University. Ken has also served on the Board of Directors of the National Minority Supplier Development Council. Other

projects Mr. Robbins has conducted include a Congressional study for the Office of Planning, Evaluation and Legislation and drug-free school evaluations while serving on a White House panel. In 1999, Mr. Robbins was a panelist for the development of the <u>Assessment of Technology Infrastructure in Native Communities</u>-final report.

Ken has a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance from the Arizona State University and over 15 years of management and technical assistance experience.

Ken is an enrolled member of the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe (Lakota).